

Application No.: 09/554,090
Reply to the Office Action dated: November 8, 2004



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
MIROSLAV CHMELIR, ET AL. : EXAMINER: ZALUKAEVA, T.
SERIAL NO: 09/554,090 :
FILED: JUNE 14, 2000 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1713

FOR: METHOD FOR PRODUCING WATER-SOLUBLE OR WATER-SWELLABLE
POLYMERIZATES WITH A VERY LOW RESIDUAL MONOMER CONTENT, PRODUCTS
PRODUCING ACCORDING TO THIS METHOD AND THE USE THEREOF

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated November 8, 2004, the period for response
having been extended to May 8, 2005, by a Request for an Extension of Time filed herewith,
please reconsider the application in view of the following amendment and remarks.

AMENDMENT

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

The **Basis for Amendment** begins on page 7 of this paper.

The **Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.